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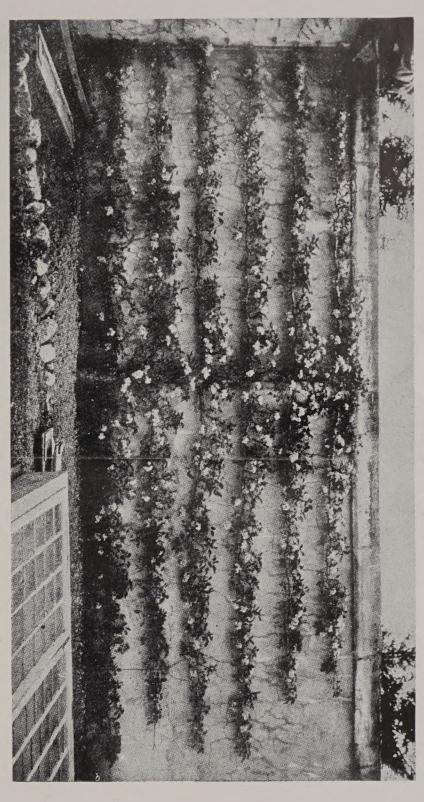
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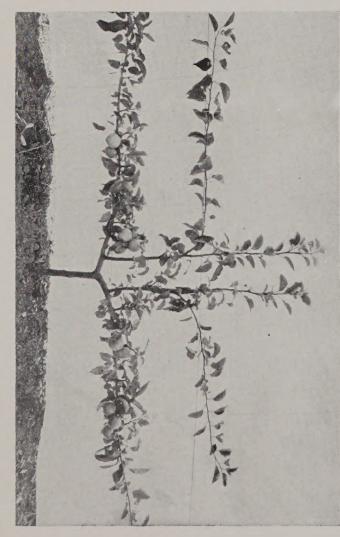
YOUR HOME with

ESPALIER FRUIT TREES



# SURE TO PLANT GENUINE ESPALIER FRUIT TREES





Above: Double stemmed, T-shaped apple tree, two years old, bearing fruit Lest: T-shaped Espalier pear tree in blossom. A lovely ornamental covering for wall or side of house.

# ESPALIER TREES LEND BEAUTY TO THE HOME ... and produce fruit of delicious quality

Por many years gardeners of Europe have depended upon Espalier trees for much of their landscape work because they are ideal for utilizing and beautifying places where space is limited. These trees are now available in America and have become one of the greatest assets to modern gardening.

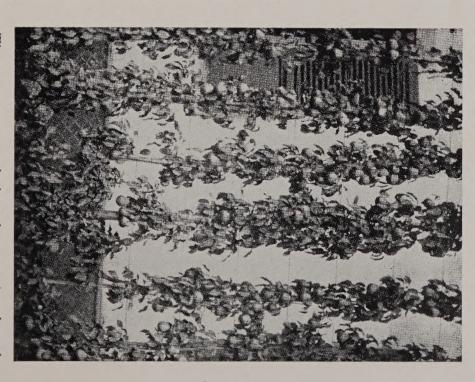
The Espalier type of fruit tree is field grown in the vicinity of Portland, Oregon, by the United States Espalier Nursery, Inc. They are hardy and adaptable to a wide variety of soils. Espalier trees will do well in all localities where other fruit trees are grown.

Correctly trained Espalier trees make a beautiful decoration for the side of your home or garage, and

particularly adapted to planting along a fence or trellis. Many homes are creating arbors and outdoor living rooms; for which the true Espalier is used in the formation of beautiful green walls of foliage. When in bloom they present an array of lovely blossoms.

Fruit from Espalier trees is actually richer in flavor and juicier than the same varieties grown on ordinary trees; and, in most cases, is much larger in size.

To every home, whether it be large or small, the Espalier fruit tree offers the opportunity to add that distinctive touch of grace and beauty that has found such a welcome in Europe, and, at the same time, provide delicious fruit for the table that could not be obtained from any other type of tree.



These separate vertical cordons can be planted single with striking effect. They illustrate the extreme in space economy which can be gained with true Espaliers.



This apple tree is only three years old with fruit as heavy as one pound each. You will not need a ladder to pick the fruit, for the tree is less than three feet tall.



"Palmette" pear tree in training process at our nursery. It is only four years old and bears large and delicious fruit.



Five-year-old apple tree with horizontal branches. Here is economy combined with artistic effect.

## A RARE TREAT from Switzerland



ORE than 60 years of trial and research in Switzerland has brought this type of

fruit tree to perfection. Through importation of foundation and budding stock from European sources, and several years of trial along the lines of acclimatization, the United States Espalier Nursery, Inc., has succeeded in establishing Espaliers in the Pacific Northwest, from which center they can be distributed to all parts of the United States.

Starting with scions of one of the select varieties from which genuine Espalier trees can be produced, it takes from seven to eight years of propagation to produce scions adaptable to Espalier training. These shoots are grown, then, not on the root stocks used for most standard fruit varieties, but on roots of an entirely different character, giving an exceptionally strong root foundation. The combination develops not only the tendency to produce fruit while the tree is very young, but fruit that is large in size, better in color, with a superior flavor and a meat structure of fine quality.

These fascinating Espalier fruit trees now available at popular prices in Apples, Pears, Plums, Prunes, Cherries.









to growers who like to care for their own gardens as well as to owners of large estates where professional gardeners are in charge. Complete instructions and illustrations concerning the care of Espalier fruit trees will be furnished free of charge to all purchasers of our trees.

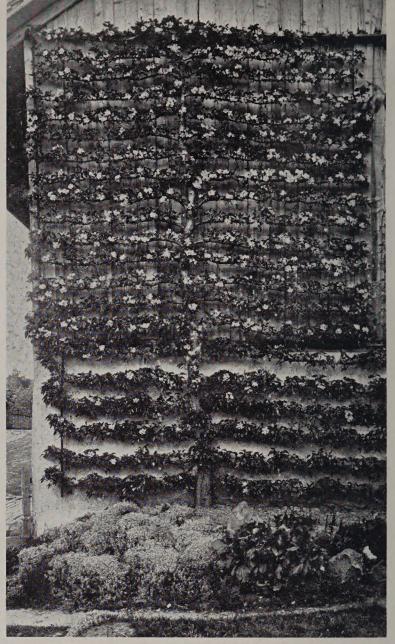
Top: Six-year-old pear Espalier, with horizontal cordons, in lovely spring blossom display.

Center: Espalier fruit trees planted on trellis against side of house, a beautiful screen to cover wall. Showing simple trellis structure, made of pipe and wire.

Below: Heavy-bearing pear Espalier. Makes excellent border for lawns, and dividing lines.

The gardens of the old world, especially the smaller places where space is lacking, depend on Espalier trees for much of their more tender varieties of fruit. It is a tree which will produce an abundance of fruit in proportion to its trunk and leaf growth.

Economy of space is a second virtue of Espalier fruits. They ask no more room than a Climbing Rose and, once planted, require no more care in pruning and spraying.

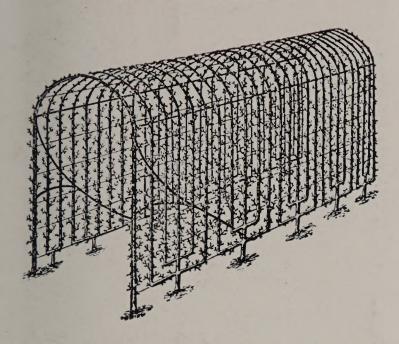


Artistic effect achieved with Espalier Apple Tree, 21 years old.

# An Orchard on the Side of Your Home

Imagine picking your own delicious table fruit from a tree growing on the side of your home! Genuine Espalier fruit trees require little space in which to grow and are ideal for planting along the side of your house, garage or fence. They produce fruit that is larger in size, richer in color and flavor than fruit from ordinary trees. With many varieties from which to choose, it is possible to enjoy having an orchard of your own within the limits of your yard.

# Variety of Designs is Unlimited



The variety of shapes possible with genuine Espalier trees has no limit. Shown in this folder are but a few of the many different ways that they can be adapted to the landscaping of any home or garden, whether the space available be large or small. As readily formed as a row of single, branchless cordons is a luxurious arbor that is shady, beautiful and productive. Those doing their own gardening will especially enjoy developing their own ideas of design.

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